

EDUCATIONAL EXAMINERS BOARD[282]

Adopted and Filed

Pursuant to the authority of Iowa Code section 272.2, the Board of Educational Examiners hereby amends Chapter 13, "Issuance of Teacher Licenses and Endorsements," Iowa Administrative Code.

Current language in the rule regarding the master educator license does not indicate that the required master's degree needs to be earned from a regionally accredited college or university. The amendment provides clarity and consistency with the other existing requirements for degrees earned.

Notice of Intended Action was published in the Iowa Administrative Bulletin as **ARC 0987C** on September 4, 2013.

A public hearing was held on September 25, 2013, with written comment accepted until 4 p.m. on September 27, 2013. No one attended the public hearing, and no written comments were received.

This amendment is identical to that published under Notice.

After analysis and review of this rule making, there is no anticipated impact on jobs.

This amendment is intended to implement Iowa Code section 272.2(1)"a."

This amendment will become effective December 18, 2013.

The following amendment is adopted.

Amend rule 282—13.8(272) as follows:

282—13.8(272) Specific requirements for a master educator's license. A master educator's license is valid for five years and may be issued to an applicant who:

1. Is the holder of or is eligible for a standard license as set out in rule 282—13.7(272), and
2. Verifies five years of successful teaching experience, and
3. Completes one of the following options:
 - Master's degree from a regionally accredited college or university in a recognized endorsement area, or
 - Master's degree from a regionally accredited college or university in curriculum, effective teaching, or a similar degree program which has a focus on school curriculum or instruction.

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